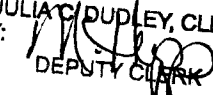


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FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ROANOKE DIVISION

ANTOINE JERMAINE THORNTON,
Petitioner,

Civil Action No. 7:12-cv-00443

v.

ORDER

DIRECTOR OF VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,
Respondent.

By: Hon. Jackson L. Kiser
Senior United States District Judge


In accordance with the written Memorandum Opinion entered this day, it is hereby

ORDERED

that respondent's motion to dismiss is **GRANTED**; the amended petition for a writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is **DISMISSED** as time barred; a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**; and the action is **STRICKEN** from the active docket of the court.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order and the accompanying Memorandum Opinion to petitioner and counsel of record for respondent.

ENTER: This 14th day of February, 2013.


Senior United States District Judge